

## **IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the claims as follows in accordance with the Revised Format of Amendments under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

### **CLAIMS:**

- 1 1.(currently amended) A network addressable device in a communications network for  
2 printing a document for a mobile network user, comprising:
  - 3 (a) a global printer array linked with the communications network the global  
4 printer array including a network of commercial printer outlets; and
  - 5 (b) an assessor linked with the global printer array and the network user, the  
6 assessor implementing a computer program code for selecting a localized  
7 printer from the global printer array.
- 1 2.(original) The network addressable device according to claim 1 wherein the  
2 assessor receives network user parameters from the network user through  
3 the communications network.
- 1 3.(original) The network addressable device according to claim 1 wherein the  
2 assessor establishes a localized zone of printer candidates, the localized  
3 printer selected from the localized zone.
- 1 4.(original) The network addressable device according to claim 1 wherein the network  
2 addressable device further includes a repository for storing the information  
3 used for printing.
- 1 5.(currently amended) In a computer system, computer program code on computer  
2 readable media for printing a document for a mobile network user, the computer  
3 program code comprising:
  - 4 (a) a first computer program code for receiving network user parameters via a  
5 network addressable device;
  - 6 (b) a second computer program code for linking the network addressable  
7 device with a global printer array the global printer array including a  
8 network of commercial printer outlets;;

- 9 (c) a third computer program code for selecting a localized printer from the  
10 global printer array;  
11 (d) a fourth computer program code for determining the availability of the  
12 localized printer with respect to the network user parameters; and  
13 (e) a fifth computer program code for spooling the localized printer.

- 1 6.(original) The computer program code according to claim 5 wherein the third  
2 computer program code includes:  
3 (a) a computer program code for establishing a localized zone of printer  
4 candidates; and  
5 (b) a computer program code for designating the printer candidate at a  
6 minimum distance from the localized zone to the network user as the  
7 localized printer.

- 1 7.(original) The computer program code according to claim 5 wherein the fourth  
2 computer program code includes a computer program code for  
3 determining whether the localized printer satisfies printer parameters of  
4 the network user.

- 1 8.(currently amended) The computer program code according to claim 5 wherein the  
2 fourth computer program code further includes a computer program code for  
3 determining delivery cost expectations of the network user.

- 1 9.(original) The computer program code according to claim 5 wherein the fourth  
2 computer program code further includes a computer program code for  
3 determining time expectations of the network user.

- 1 10.(original) The computer program code according to claim 5 wherein the fifth  
2 computer program code includes a computer program code for displaying  
3 the status of the localized printer.

- 1 11.(currently amended) In a communications network environment, a method for printing  
2 a document for a mobile network user, comprising the steps of:  
3 (a) receiving network user parameters via a network addressable device;

- 4           (b)     selecting a localized printer from a global printer array of the network  
5                   addressable device with respect to the network user parameters the global  
6                   printer array including a network of commercial printer outlets;;  
7           (c)     determining availability of the selected localized printer; and  
8           (d)     engaging the localized printer.

1    12.(original)   The method according to claim 11 wherein the step of receiving network  
2                   user parameters includes the step of receiving network user parameters  
3                   from an Internet communications network.

1    13.(original)   The method according to claim 12 wherein the step of receiving network  
2                   user parameters includes the step of receiving network user parameters  
3                   from a browser.

1    14.(original)   The method according to claim 11 wherein the step of receiving network  
2                   user parameters includes the step of receiving network user parameters  
3                   from an intranet communications network.

1    15.(original)   The method according to claim 11 wherein the step of selecting a  
2                   localized printer includes the steps of:

- 3           (a)     establishing a localized zone of printer candidates; and  
4           (b)     designating a printer candidate with a minimum distance from the  
5                   localized zone to the network user as the localized printer.

1    16.(original)   The method according to claim 11 wherein the step of selecting a  
2                   localized printer includes the step of determining whether the localized  
3                   printer satisfies printer parameters of the network user.

1    17.(original)   The method according to claim 16 further comprising the step of  
2                   displaying status of the localized printer.

1    18.(original)   The method according to claim 11 wherein the step of selecting a  
2                   localized printer includes the step of determining time expectations  
3                   associated with the localized printer.

1    **19.(currently amended)**The method according to claim 11 wherein the step of selecting a  
2           localized printer includes the step of determining delivery costs associated with  
3           the localized printer.

1    **20.(original)**   The method according to claim 11 wherein step of selecting a localized  
2           printer includes the step of asking whether the network user wishes to wait  
3           if the localized printer is unavailable.